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|-------------|--------------------|----------------------|-----------|-------|-------|--|
| | US | US GRADE A COMPOSITI | | | | |
| AREAS | MAJORITY | WTD | LOADS | WTD | LOADS | |
| | | AVG | | AVG | | |
| CHICAGO | 71-74 | 73.99 | 36 | 76.42 | 71 | |
| OHIO CITIES | S TFEWR | | | 75.64 | 21 | |
| DETROIT | 72-75 | 74.83 | 12 | 75.80 | 46 | |
| ST. LOUIS | 73.25-73.5 | 72.80 | 22 | 72.15 | 49 | |

GEORGIA F.O.B. DOCK PRICES WEDNESDAY

74.25

MONDAY FINAL WTD. AVG.

73.15

CENTRAL REGION WOG
MAJORITY WTD AVG

72.00-80.00 78.81

MIDWEST REGION BROILER/FRYER PARTS

| Week of 05-09-APR-2004 | PRICE PER LB. | Mostly | | PRICE PER LB. | Mostly |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| BREAST - B/S | 210.00 - 227.00 | 210.00 - 220.00 | THIGHS | 45.00 - 53.00 | - |
| BREAST - LINE RUN | 111.00 - 130.00 | 115.00 - 118.00 | WINGS (WHOLE) | 119.00 - 134.00 | 122.00 - 124.00 |
| LEGS | 33.00 - 50.00 | - | BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) | 12.00 - 20.00 | - |
| LEG QUARTERS (BULK) | 29.00 - 36.00 | 33.00 - 34.00 | LIVERS | 30.00 - 41.00 | - |
| DRUMSTICKS | 28.00 - 43.00 | - | GIZZARDS (HEARTS) | 35.00 - 45.00 | - |

<u>MIDWEST BROILER/FRYER</u> - Final majority prices were unchanged to higher into Detroit and St. Louis, unchanged elsewhere; Ohio cities TFEWR from last Monday's final. Whole broiler/fryer market tone was steady. Buyer interest and offerings were light. Retail and food service demand was light to moderate, instances fairly good; some improvement noted for first of month. Floor stocks adequate to at times long. Weights mostly desirable. Offerings of leg quarters adequate, drums and thighs fully adequate; breast items were in balance for the most part. Market tone was mixed on wings, steady to fully steady on breast items and barely steady to weak on dark meat items.

| <u>NATIONAL TURKEY PARTS</u> | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------|-----|--------|--------|---------|--------|--|--|
| DOMESTIC TRADING | PRICE | LST | WTD | | WEEKLY | WEEKLY | | |
| APRIL 02, 2004 | RANGE | CDE | AVG | VOLUME | WTD AVG | VOLUME | | |
| | | 1/ | PRICE | (000) | PRICE | (000) | | |
| BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/ | 93.00-94.00 | | 93.82 | 440 | 93.12 | 680 | | |
| BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/ | 84.00-87.00 | | 84.27 | 880 | 84.17 | 960 | | |
| DRUMSTICKS, TOMFRESH | | W | 38.00 | 80 | 38.67 | 120 | | |
| BREASTS, B/S, TOMFRESH 3/ | 190.00-193.00 | | 191.94 | 62 | 191.69 | 142 | | |

^{1/} CODES FOR LAST SIGNIFICANT TRADE (L.S.T.): M=MONDAY T=TUESDAY W=WEDNESDAY R=THURSDAY F=FRIDAY

^{3/} Boneless and skinless without tenderloins.

| FRESH PORK CUTS FOB Negotiated Loin | PRICE | RANGE | WTD AVG | FRESH BEEF CUTS FOB Negotiated | PRICE | RANGE | WTD AVG |
|-------------------------------------|----------|--------|---------|--------------------------------|--------|--------|---------|
| 1/8" Trm/less 21#DN-LGT | | 116.00 | 116.00 | 112A 3 Rib, ribeye, bnls,heavy | 635.35 | 674.00 | 656.63 |
| BNLS Strap-on 5-11# | 143.00 - | 146.00 | 144.40 | 168 3 Round, top inside round | 158.00 | 165.00 | 162.48 |
| Trimmed Butt | | | | 180 3 Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1 | 648.00 | 680.50 | 668.02 |
| 1/4" Trim Stk Rdy | | 88.00 | 88.00 | Ground Beef 81% | 103.00 | 117.00 | 112.59 |
| SPARERIB | | | | | | | |
| 3BAG/3 PCVAC4 25#/DN-I GT | 141 00 - | 151 00 | 146 00 | | | | |

^{2/} Breasts are bagged; rib, back, and wing meat included; and basted.